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Portland, October 4, 1869. o4d1aw3t

Tennessee's Partner.

The following from the *Overland Monthly* for October is one of a series of inimitable sketches for which that magazine is obtaining celebrity everywhere:

I do not think that we ever knew his real name. Our ignorance of it certainly never gave us any social inconvenience, for at Sandy Bar in 1854 most men were christened anew. Sometimes these appellatives were derived from some distinctiveness of dress, as in the case of "Dungaree Jack," or from some peculiarity of habit, as shown in "Saleratus Bill," so called from an undue proportion of that chemical in his daily bread; or from some infelicitous slip, as exhibited in "The Iron Pirate," a mild, inoffensive man, who earned that baneful title by his unfortunate pronunciation of the term "iron pyrites." Perhaps this may have been the beginning of a rude heraldry; but I am constrained to think that it was because a man's real name, in that day, rested solely upon his own unsupported statement. "Call yourself Clifford, do you?" said Boston, addressing a timid newcomer, with infinite scorn; "hell is full of such Cliffords!" He then introduced the unfortunate man, whose name happened to be really Clifford, as "Jay-bird Charley,"—an unhallowed inspiration of the moment, that clung to him ever after.

But to return to Tennessee's Partner, whom we never knew by any other but this relative title. That he had ever existed as a separate and distinct individuality we only learned later. It seems that in 1853 he left Poker Flat to go to San Francisco, ostensibly to procure a wife. He never got any farther than Stockton. At that place he was attracted by a young person who waited upon the table at the hotel where he took his meals. One morning he said something to her which caused her to smile not unkindly, to somewhat coquettishly break a plate of toast over his upturned, serious, simple face, and to retreat to the kitchen. He followed her, and emerged a few moments later, covered with more toast and victory. That day week they were married by a justice of the peace, and returned to Poker Flat. I am aware that something more might be made of this episode, but I prefer to tell it as it was current at Sandy Bar—in the gulches and bar rooms—where all sentiment was modified by a strong sense of humor.

Of their married felicity but little is known, perhaps for the reason that Tennessee, then living with his partner, one day took occasion to say something to the bride on his own account, at which, it is said, she smiled not unkindly and chastely retreated—this time as far as Marysville, where Tennessee followed her, and where they went to housekeeping without the aid of a justice of the Peace. Tennessee's Partner took the loss of his wife simply and seriously, as was his fashion. But, to everybody's surprise, when Tennessee one day returned from Marysville, without his partner's wife—she having smiled and retreated with somebody else—Tennessee's Partner was the first man to shake his hand and greet him with affection. The boys, who had gathered in the canyon to see the shooting were naturally indignant. Their indignation might have found vent in sarcasms but for a certain look in Tennessee's Partner's eye that indicated a lack of humorous appreciation. In fact, he was a grave man, with a steady application to practical detail which was unpleasant in a difficulty.

Meanwhile a popular feeling against Tennessee had grown up on the Bar. He was known to be a gambler—he was suspected to be a thief. In these suspicions Tennessee's Partner was equally compromised; his continued intimacy with Tennessee after the affair above quoted could only be accounted for on the hypothesis of a copartnership of crime. At last Tennessee's guilt became flagrant. One day he overtook a stranger on his way to Red Dog. The stranger afterwards related that Tennessee beguiled the time with interesting anecdote and reminiscence, but illogically concluded the interview in the following words: "And now, young man, I'll trouble you for your knife, your pistols and your money. You see your weppings might get you into trouble in Red Dog, and your money's a temptation to the evilly disposed. I think you said your address was San Francisco. I shall endeavor to call." It may be stated here that Tennessee had a fine flow of humor, which no business preoccupation could wholly subdue.

This exploit was his last. Red Dog and Sandy Bar made common cause against highwaymen. Tennessee was hunted in much the same fashion as his prototype—the grizzly. As the toils closed around him, he made a desperate dash through the Bar, emptying his revolver at the crowd before the Arcade Saloon, and so on up Grizzly Canyon; but at its farther extremity he was stopped by a small man, on a gray horse. The men looked at each other a moment in silence. Both were fearless; both self-possessed and independent; and both types of a civilization that in the seventeenth century would have been called heroic, but, in the nineteenth, simply "reckless." "What have you got there? I call," said Tennessee, quietly. "Two bowers and an ace," said the stranger, as quietly, showing two revolvers and a bowie-knife. "That takes me," returned Tennessee; and, with this gamblers' epigram, he threw away his useless pistol, and rode back with his captor.

It was a warm night. The cool breeze which usually sprang up with the going down of the sun behind the *chaparral*-crested mountain was that evening withheld from Sandy Bar. The little canyon was stifling with heated, resinous odors, and the decaying drift wood on the Bar sent forth faint, sickening exhalations. The feverishness of day, and its fierce passions, still filled the camp. Lights moved restlessly along the bank of the river, striking no answering reflection from its tawny current. Against the blackness of the pines the windows of the old loft above the express office, stood out staringly bright; and through their curtainless panes the loungers below could see the forms of those who were even then deciding the fate of Tennessee. And above all this, etched on the dark firmament, rose the Sierra, remote and passionless, crowned with remoter, passionless stars.

The trial of Tennessee was conducted as fairly as was consistent with a judge and jury who felt themselves to some extent obliged to justify, in their verdict, the previous irregularities of arrest and indictment. The law of Sandy Bar was implacable, but not vengeful. The excitement and personal feeling of the chase was over; with Tennessee safe in their hands, they were ready to give listen patiently to any defense, which they were already satisfied was insufficient. There being no doubt in their own minds, they were willing to give the prisoner the benefit of any that might exist. Secure in the hypothesis that he ought to be hanged, on general principles, they indulged him with more latitude of defense than his reckless hardihood seemed to ask. The Judge appeared to be more anxious than the prisoner, who, otherwise unconcerned, evidently took a grim pleasure in the responsibility he had created. "I don't take any hand in this yer game," had been his invariable, but good-humored reply to all questions. The Judge—who was also his captor—for a moment vaguely regretted that he had not shot him "on sight" that morning, but presently dismissed this human weakness as unworthy of the judicial mind. Nevertheless, when there was a tap at the door, and it was said that Tennessee's Partner was there on behalf of the prisoner, he was admitted at once without question. Perhaps the younger members of the jury, to whom the proceedings were becoming irksomely thoughtful, hailed him as a relief.

For he was not, certainly, an imposing figure. Short and stout, with a square face, sunburned into a preternatural redness, clad in a loose duck "jumper" and trowsers streaked and splashed with red soil, his aspect under any circumstances would have been quaint, and was now even ridiculous. As he stooped to deposit at his feet a heavy carpet bag he was carrying, it became obvious from partially developed legends and inscriptions, that the material with which his trowsers had been patched had been originally intended for a less ambitious covering. Yet he advanced with great gravity, and, after having shaken the hand of each person in the room with labored cordiality, he wiped his serious, perplexed face on a red bandana handkerchief, a shade lighter than his complexion, laid his powerful hand upon the table to steady himself, and thus addressed the Judge:

"I was passin' by," he began, by way of apology, "and I thought I'd just step in and see how things was gittin' on with Tennessee thar—my pardner. It's a hot night. I disremember any sich weather before on the Bar."

He paused a moment, but nobody volunteering any other meteorological recollection, he again had recourse to his pocket handkerchief, and for some moments mopped his face diligently.

"Have you anything to say in behalf of the prisoner?" said the Judge finally.

"That's it," said Tennessee's Partner, in a tone of relief. "I come yar as Tennessee's pardner—knowing him nigh on four year, off and on, wet and dry, in luck and out o' luck. His ways ain't allers my ways, but thar ain't any p'ints in that young man—thar ain't any liveliness as he's been up to—as I don't know. And you sez to me, sez you—confidential-like, and between man and man—sez you, 'Do you know anything in his behalf?' and I sez to you, sez I—confidential-like, as between man and man—what should a man know of his pardner?"

"Is this all you have to say?" asked the Judge, impatiently, feeling, perhaps, that a dangerous sympathy of humor was beginning to humanize the Court.

"That's so," continued Tennessee's Partner. "It ain't for me to say anything agin' him. And now, what's the case? Here's Tennessee wants money, wants it bad, and doesn't like to ask it of his old pardner. Well, what does Tennessee do? He lays for a stranger and he fetches that stranger. And you lays for *him*, and you fetches *him*; and the honors is easy. And I put it to you—bein' a far minded man—and to you, gentlemen all, as far minded men of this isn't so?"

"Prisoner," said the Judge, interrupting, "have you any questions to ask this man?"

"No! no!" continued Tennessee's Partner, hastily, "I play this yer hand alone. To come down to the bed-rock, it's just this: Tennessee, thar, has played it pretty rough and expensive-like on a stranger, and on this yer camp. And now, what's the fair thing? Some would say more; some would say less. Here's seventeen hundred dollars in coarse gold and a watch—it's about all my pile—and call it square!" And before a hand could be raised to prevent him, he had emptied the contents of the carpet bag upon the table.

For a moment his life was in jeopardy. One or two men sprang to their feet, several hands groped for hidden weapons, and a suggestion to "throw him from the window" was only overridden by a gesture from the Judge. Tennessee laughed. And apparently oblivious of the excitement, Tennessee's Partner improved the opportunity to mop his face again with his handkerchief.

When order was restored, and the man was made to understand, by the use of forcible figures and rhetoric, that Tennessee's offense could not be condoned by money, his face took a more serious and sanguinary hue, and those who were nearest to him noticed that his rough hand trembled slightly on the table. He hesitated a moment as he slowly returned the gold to the carpet-bag, as if he had not yet entirely caught the elevated sense of justice which swayed the tribunal, and was perplexed with the belief that he had not offered enough. Then he turned to the Judge, and saying, "This yer is a lone hand, played alone, and without my pardner," he bowed to the jury and was about to withdraw, when the Judge called him back. "If you have anything to say to Tennessee, you had better say it now." For the first time that evening the eyes of the prisoner and his strange advocate met. Tennessee smiled, showed his white teeth, and saying, "Euchered, old man!" held out his hand. Tennessee's partner took it in his own, and saying, "I just dropped in as I was passin' to see how things was gettin' on," let the hand passively fall, and adding that "it was a warm night," again mopped his face with his handkerchief, and without another word withdrew.

The two men never again met each other alive. For the unparalleled insult of a bribe offered to Judge Lynch—who, whether bigoted, weak, or narrow, was incorruptible—firmly fixed in the mind of that mythical personage any wavering determination of Tennessee's fate, and at the break of day he was marched, closely guarded, to meet it at the top of Marley's Hill.

How he met it, how cool he was, how he refused to say anything, how perfect were the arrangements of the Committee, were all duly reported—with the addition of a warning moral and example to all evil doers—in the *Red Dog Clarion*, by its editor, who was present, and to whose vigorous English I cheerfully refer the reader. But the beauty of that midsummer morning, the blessed amity of earth and air and sky, the awakened life of the free woods and hills, the joyous renewal and promise of Nature, and above all, the infinite serenity that thrilled through each, was not reported, as not being a part of the social lesson. And yet, when the weak and foolish deed was done, and a life, with its possibilities and responsibilities, had passed out of the misshapen thing that dangled between the earth and sky, the birds sang, the flowers bloomed, the sun shone, as cheerful as before, and possibly, the *Red Dog Clarion* was right.

Tennessee's partner was not in the group that surrounded the ominous tree. But as they turned to disperse, attention was drawn to the singular appearance of a motionless donkey-cart, halted at the side of the road. As they approached, they at once recognized the venerable "Jenny" and the two-wheeled cart as the property of Tennessee's partner—used by him in carrying dirt from his claim; and a few paces distant, the owner of the equipage himself, sitting under a buckeye tree, wiping the perspiration from his glowing face. In answer to an inquiry, he said he had come for the body of the "diseased," "if it was all the same to the Committee." He didn't wish to "hurry any thing," he could "wait." He was not working that day; and when the gentlemen were done with the "diseased," he would take him. "Ef thar is any present," he added, in his simple, serious way, "as would like to jine in the fun'l, they kin come." Perhaps it was from a sense of honor, which I have already intimated was a feature of Sandy Bar; perhaps it was from something even better than that; but two thirds of the loungers accepted the invitation at once.

It was noon when the body of Tennessee was delivered into the hands of his partner. As the cart drew up to the fatal tree, we noticed that it contained a rough, oblong box—apparently made from a section of sluicing—and half filled with bark and the tassels of pine. The cart was further decorated with slips of willow, and made fragrant with buckeye blossoms. When the body was deposited in the box, Tennessee's partner drew over it a piece of tarred canvass, and gravely mounting the narrow seat in front, with his feet upon the shafts, urged the little donkey forward. The equipage moved slowly on, at that decorous pace which was habitual with "Jenny" even under less solemn circumstances. The men—half curiously, half jestingly, but all good-humoredly—strolled along beside the cart; some in advance, some a little in the rear of the homely catafalque. But, whether from the narrowing of the road, or from some present sense of decorum, as the cart passed on the company fell to the rear in couples, keeping step, and otherwise assuming the external show of a formal procession. Jack Folinsbee, who had, at the outset played a funeral march in dumb show upon an imaginary trombone, desisted from a lack of sympathy and appreciation—not having, perhaps, your true humorist's capacity to be content with the enjoyment of his own fun.

The way led through Grizzly Canyon—by this time clothed in funeral drapery and shadows. The redwoods, burying their moccasined feet in the red soil, stood in Indian file along the track trailing an uncouth benediction from their bending boughs upon the passing bier. A hare, surprised into helpless inactivity, sat upright and pulsating, in the ferns by the road side, as the *cortege* went by. Squirrels hastened to gain a secure outlook from higher boughs, and the blue jays, spreading their wings, fluttered before them like outriders, until the outskirts of Sandy Bar were reached, and the solitary cabin of Tennessee's Partner.

Viewed under more favorable circumstances it would not have been a cheerful place. The unpicturesque site, the rude and unlovely outlines, the unsavory details which distinguish the nest building of the California miner, were all here, with the dreariness of decay superadded. A few paces from the cabin there was a rough enclosure, which, in the brief days of Tennessee's Partner's matrimonial felicity, had been used as a garden, but was now overgrown with fern. As we approached it, we were surprised to find that what we had taken for a recent attempt at cultivation was the broken soil above an open grave.

The cart was halted before the inclosure; and rejecting the offers of assistance, with the same air of simple self reliance he had displayed throughout, Tennessee's partner lifted the rough coffin on his back and deposited it, unaided, within the shallow grave. He then nailed down the board which served as a lid; and mounting the little mound of earth beside it, took off his hat, and slowly mopped his face with his handkerchief. This the crowd felt was preliminary to a speech; and they disposed themselves variously on stumps and bowlders, and sat expectant.

"When a man," began Tennessee's Partner, slowly, "has been running free all day, what's the natural thing for him to do? Why, to come home. And if he ain't in a condition to go home, what can his best friend do? Why, bring him home! And here's Tennessee has been running free, and we brings him home from his wandering." He paused, and picked up a fragment of quartz, rubbed it thoughtfully on his sleeve, and went on: "It ain't the first time that I've packed him on my back, as you see me now. It ain't the first time that I brought him to this yer cabin when he couldn't help himself; it ain't the first time that I and 'Jinny' have waited for him on yon hill, and picked him up and so fetched him home, when he couldn't speak, and didn't know me. And now that it's the last time, why"—he paused, and rubbed the quartz gently on his sleeve—"you see it's sort of rough on his pardner. And now, gentlemen," he added, abruptly, picking up his long handled shovel, "the fun'l's over; and my thanks, and Tennessee's thanks, to you for your trouble."

Resisting any proffers of assistance, he began to fill the grave, turning his back upon the crowd, that after a few moments hesitation, gradually withdrew. As they crossed the little ridge that hid Sandy Bar from view, some, looking back, thought they could see Tennessee's partner, his work done, sitting upon the grave, his shovel between his knees, and his face buried in his red bandana handkerchief. But it was argued by others that you couldn't tell his face from his handkerchief at that distance; and this point remained undecided.

In the reaction that followed the feverish excitement of that day, Tennessee's partner was not forgotten. A secret investigation had cleared him of any complicity in Tennessee's guilt, and left only a suspicion of his general sanity. Sandy Bar made a point of calling on him, and proffering various uncouth, but well meant kindnesses. But from that day his rude health and great strength seemed to visibly decline; and when the rainy season fairly set in, and the tiny grass blades were beginning to peep from the rocky mound above Tennessee's grave, he took to his bed.

One night, when the pines beside the cabin were swaying in the storm, and trailing their slender fingers over the roof, and the roar and rush of the swollen river were heard below, Tennessee's partner lifted his head from the pillow, saying, "It is time to go for Tennessee; I must put 'Jinny' in the cart;" and would have risen from his bed but for the restraint of his attendant. Struggling, he still pursued his singular fancy: "There now—steady, 'Jinny'—steady, old girl. How dark it is! Look out for the ruts, and look out for him, too, old gal. Sometimes, you know, when he's blind drunk he drops down right in the trail. Keep on straight up to the pine on the top of the hill. Thar—I told you so! thar he is—coming this way, too—all by himself, sober, and his face a-shining. Tennessee! Pardner!"

And so they met.

An Earthquake Indicator.

A great deal of fun was [illegible] at the Fair recently, by some wag pinning a label "Earthquake Indicator, Donahue's patent," on the curious apparatus among the school fixtures, for illustrating the solar system. This very ingenious instrument consists of a [illegible] sun, about the size of a man's head, around which are fixed, on wire, [illegible] to represent the moon, earth, Venus, Jupiter, and the other [illegible] of the solar system. By turning a [illegible] the planets make the revolutions peculiar to it, and the calculations being correct, the instrument forms a very clear illustration of the movements of the planets and their relations to the earth. But last night, a youth with downy mustache, who had been studying the arts of "gab" in a well known debating club, undertook to explain the theory of earthquakes with this machine. The way he [illegible] and expatiated on the subject, the hard words he used, which are, and which are not in the dictionary, was exceedingly amusing to those who were in the secret; but the crowd took it all in as gospel truth, and thought the young scamp was better posted on earthquakes than either Gayton or Stewart. But after a while the secret leaked out, when the fun became furious; and what is still very remarkable, nobody knew anybody who listened so intently to the [illegible] of earthquakes. The clerks of the Fair don't know who Donahue, the patentee of the Earthquake Indicator is.—*Mining and Scientific Press.*

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New Work for Free Traders

For several years the public men of England have been so well satisfied with free trade that they have tried to persuade all other nations to adopt it. Now her workmen are clamoring loudly for protective duties form themselves into associations and call themselves the 'Revivers of British Industry.' Mr Bright flies into a rage and calls them 'simpletons,' but they will not 'down at his command.'

Here, observes a leading New York journal commenting on this state of things, here is a solid fact which stares the English operatives in the face. The goods they make are not admitted into other countries without heavy duties. But goods of the same kind are allowed to come into England, without restrictions of any kind. The world says, "We will sell England anything she likes, but we do not care to admit her to competition in our markets." This is what Mr Disraeli would call a "one-sided reciprocity." The workmen of Great Britain do not flourish under it. They say, "Pray let us have free trade all round, or not at all. If foreign Governments prohibit our work going into their countries, let our Government protect us in the same way. America is Protectionist, and see how she flourishes. The workingmen there are better off than we are. Mr. Bright has himself told us that the Americans are the happiest and most prosperous people in the world. Why not, then give us the same commercial polity?" It is no answer for Mr Bright to turn round and say, 'Ye simpletons, What is good for an American would not be good for you.' The operatives see plainly enough that duties on imported manufactures would at least give them the command of the home market. At present the American and the Frenchman have decidedly the best of the of the English workman at home and abroad.

An influential London contemporary remarked, lately, "There is no blinking the fact that the great principles of international trade and public wealth, which the Manchester school did so much to establish, are now regarded by large classes of people with unbelief or abomination." Who will talk after this of the "final settlement" of political questions? There is evidently work in store for the Liberal party in England of which they little dreamed. The working classes hold the balance of power. Suppose they elect a protectionist Parliament a few years hence? They could do it, and if their condition does not improve there is no guarantee that they will not. Their trades' unions are all based upon the principle of protection. They find the system work well for their own interests. If at any time they wish to extend it to the national commerce, who or what is to prevent them?

Does not the agitation of this question by the workingmen of England furnish a lesson for the workingmen of America?

Another Financial Calculation

It takes your Oregon editor of the Democratic species to make astonishing calculations in regard to the national finances. Secretary Boutwell recently made the statement that if national taxation be kept up to present rates so that the reduction of the national debt may be continued in the same ratio as during the last six months, the whole debt will be extinguished in fourteen years. The sapient *Oregon Herald* denies the truth of this statement. It argues that as the present amount of the debt is twenty-five hundred millions, and as the present rate of reduction is only one hundred millions a year, it will take twenty-five years at this rate to pay the debt off. Astonishing feat in mathematics! This writer, however, forgets one of the principal elements of this problem. Of course it never occurred to him that, as the principal of the debt decreases it will not be necessary to pay so much interest, and that more and more of the sum now annually paid as interest may every year be added to the one hundred millions in reducing the principal. Thus by maintaining taxation at present rates we should soon be paying off the debt at the rate of one hundred and fifty, and then at the rate of two hundred millions, a year. This process, it is plain to see, would easily extinguish the debt within the time stated by Secretary Boutwell. It is amusing to notice the blind and ignorant, but malignant and calculating persistency, with which the opponents of the administration are groping for materials on which to build charges against it.

The Best Index of Progress

The show of horses, cattle, machinery and agricultural products at the Fair last week was undoubtedly quite creditable. But this was not the best feature of the Fair. The best and most interesting feature was the show of people. It is the common observation of very many who attended that the assembled multitude presented a remarkably good appearance. We have been told that a great improvement was noticeable in this aspect of the Fair, over anything seen on any former occasion. Not only were there more people than usual, but in their dress, accouterments and general appearance they presented evidences of thrift, enterprise and general prosperity most gratifying to witness. We are glad to put on record testimony of this description. The condition of a State can be judged of better by the appearance of its people when assembled on a great occasion like this, than by any other means whatsoever. Fine horses and good machinery are desirable, and useful too, and everybody takes an interest in them, but the true index of the prosperity and progress of a community is seen in the appearance of the people constituting it. If, therefore, any one should be disposed to complain that there is not extent and variety enough in the articles shown at our annual industrial exhibitions, and that these exhibitions therefore amount to little, we answer that in their best feature, the show of people—these exhibitions are very interesting and successful.

Reduction of Fares

By correspondence which appears in the OREGONIAN to-day the public are notified that fares for immigrants on the O S N Co's boats from Umatilla and Dalles to Portland are reduced to one-half the regular rates. This reduction is a very liberal one, and will conduce materially to bringing population into this part of Oregon. It is gratifying to observe that those who control our principal lines of communication are responding so liberally to the wants of our State and adopting a policy so well calculated to tell with advantage in filling our growing towns and fertile prairies with an active, industrious and thrifty population. The cost of reaching our State from the East is now reduced to a small fraction of what it was but a short time ago, and the excellent results of this reduction of fares must soon be manifest in a rush of population hither.

Taxation of National Banking Associations

According to the last report of the Secretary of the Treasury the amount of bonds held by the United States to secure the redemption of the circulating notes of the national banks is $312, 019 [illegible]. These bonds comprise nearly all the various descriptions of national securities. By the Constitution of the United States they are exempt from State taxation. Nevertheless as bank shares based on Government securities are taxable the States are enabled by means of this banking system to collect many millions of taxes annually which they could not otherwise obtain. In other words bonds in themselves untaxable are through this process indirectly subjected to taxation. The total amount of State taxes collected from national banking associations for the year ending December 31 1867 was $8 813 126 92. This shows a rate of taxation exceeding two cents on the dollar, and is equivalent to the tax levied on other property in the respective States. But this is not all. The amount of tax paid by those banking associations to the United States during the same year was $9 526,607 31. This makes an aggregate tax of nearly twenty millions annually collected from the national banking associations no part of which would be realized but for this banking system. We mention these facts not because they are new, but because they are an overwhelming reply to those political mountebanks of the Democratic persuasion who are prospecting for issues and pretend to find that 'the national banking system increases the burdens of the people.'

In General

The California papers are poking fun at Gov Haight for the result of his labors in behalf of Pendleton. The Governor went all the way to Ohio to enlighten the people there in regard to the Chinese, and the result is that Hayes gets a majority over Pendleton three times as large as he obtained over Thurman two years ago.

A fussy little fellow named Philip Ritz, who by some mysterious manipulation got the appointment of U S Marshal for Washington Territory is using that office in the interests of the Democratic party. We are informed that Ritz is not a Republican and never was one. He never voted a Republican ticket in the Territory. All his appointees since he received his present office, are Democrats. We call the attention of the Republican delegation in Congress from the Pacific coast to the conduct of Ritz and his fellow conspirators who are holding Federal appointments in Washington Territory. They should be removed at once. Consistent Democrats could be tolerated in such positions much better than the small fry of treachery who now occupy them. They should be cleaned out from first to last, beginning with Flanders and ending with little Ritz. Will our Senators look a little to the matter?

The Sacramento *Record* reports that the land speculators of San Francisco are beginning to feel a serious consequence of their operations. The lands are lying on their hands unsaleable, at the high prices they ask and the tax gatherer is passing around calling for the taxes due on this unremunerative property, which amounts to about $1,400 000. This is more money than they have got, and as the money market is stringent in San Francisco just now it is more money than can be spared from its business necessities. This makes the tax question one which affects seriously the whole business community of the city and as the bad example has been set of postponing the collection of these taxes several times already, the citizens are making an effort to procure their postponement again. Thus the demoralizing process is going on which gives ground for apprehension that eventual repudiation of the tax may succeed. The speculators are being punished for their greed, and the whole population of the city is suffering indirectly from it, also.

Immigration to Oregon—Important Correspondence

DOWN FARES ON THE COLUMBIA RIVER LARGELY REDUCED

We gladly give place to the following important correspondence:

OFFICE OREGON IMMIGRATION AND LABOR EX.
PORTLAND OREGON Oct 16, 1869

J C Ainsworth Esq, President O S N Co — Dear Sir: I have been requested by a great number of subscribers to our society as well as many merchants of Portland, to call your attention to the propriety of reducing the down fare on your boats for immigrants to Oregon.

The President of the North Pacific Transportation Company has liberally and cordially responded to our request, by materially reducing the fares to immigrants on his route, and has expressed to me his readiness to still grant further aid to assist our society in its endeavors to divert to Oregon a share of the great tidal wave of immigration that has commenced to flow toward the Pacific.

It of course will be a great advantage to Oregon if we have more than one cheap, safe and practical route to offer to the immigrant to reach us. As we increase the facilities to reach Oregon, and secure cheap fares to the immigrant, his family and effects, so will we be able in proportion to add to the number of inhabitants in our State.

The past career of your company is a proof of that liberal and enlightened policy which has done so much for the development of Eastern Oregon, while its *present* excellent administrative ability has *retained* to Oregon against the competition of Californians the trade of the vast mineral regions on the other side of the Cascade range. So judging from the *past* and *present* we have every assurance to expect your usual liberality in response to this calling your attention to a subject no doubt you have *accidentally* overlooked viz the desirability of cheap fares for immigrants on your line of steamers.

With the highest consideration I am very respectfully yours,
A M LORYEA
Vice President O I & L E

To J C Ainsworth Esq,
President O S N Co,
Portland Oregon

OFFICE O S N Co
PORTLAND, OREGON, Oct 20 1869

Dr A M Loryea, Vice President Oregon Immigration and Labor Exchange, Sir: Yours of the 16th instant asking cheap fares for immigrants traveling over our line duly received.

In reply thereto, I have to say that it has always been the practice of our Company to carry immigrants at less than regular fare, and those who arrive destitute have always been carried *free.*

[illegible] enable you to make arrangements for *through* fares from the Atlantic States for immigrants you are authorized to say that we will carry them at half fare viz from Umatilla to Portland $7 50 from the Dalles to Portland $3.

Wishing you success in your efforts to induce immigration to our State I am very respectfully yours,
J C AINSWORTH
President O S N Co

A leading English daily in speaking of Mrs Stowe's Byron article says: "That she has discharged to the best of her ability a trust really committed to her is not open to doubt. The [illegible] motives which have been imputed to her the unmanly and discourteous terms in which she has personally been spoken of, the simple brutality in short of the majority of her critics will justify her in making very little account of their judgments on questions of good taste and breeding."

In 1861 Paris had 1 696,141 inhabitants in 1866 the population was 1 825 274. This is an average increase of 26 000 per annum, but not the natural increase of the city. In 1867 the excess of births over deaths was only 11 629 so that it is evident the larger portion of the increase comes from immigration. Paris has always been fed from the provinces and has been compared to a monstrous ogre that devours the children of all France.

By Overland Telegraph.

[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

OUR SAN FRANCISCO DISPATCH

SAN FRANCISCO Oct 19 — Portland an unknown man attempted suicide yesterday afternoon by taking ratsbane. He was taken to the County hospital and is now recovering.

George Mest, formerly employed at the [illegible] grounds has confessed to firing the pavilion at that place on Sunday night at the instigation of [illegible] Bird who holds a mortgage on it for $3 000 which was further secured by insurance [illegible] for $[illegible].

F [illegible] of Prussia, aged 18 years died suddenly at [illegible] Howard street yesterday. A post mortem examination will be held.

A [illegible] game of billiards 100 points was played at the [illegible] Pavilion last night by [illegible] being won by the former largest run made 23[illegible] by Deery. The game will be repeated to night.

A reunion of the Knickerbocker Association [illegible] of former members of Knickerbocker Engine No 5 volunteer department with a large number of invited guests was held at Fittones' Restaurant last night and a banquet partaken of.

U S Marshal Morris arrested Ah Tar on a charge of fraudulently removing a lot of cigars from the place of manufacture with intent to defraud the United States.

The first rain of the season occurred *last night.* To day has been unusually cloudy, and at 4 30 P M rain commenced falling again quite freely.

A man complained in the police court to day that the mate and sail maker of some vessel had beaten him severely last night because he proposed to testify that his captain had poisoned two sailors and crucified another. He was evidently under the influence of liquor but was given the required warrants.

A confidence operator named Col St Clair has turned up missing after having obtained considerable funds on false pretences. He is supposed to have decamped on the last Panama steamer.

Four runaway boys from Sacramento, one from [illegible] made a [illegible] escape from the industrial school of this city were arrested in an old boiler on Valley street last night. The first five will be returned home, and the last returned to the industrial school to complete his education.

J H Ham & Co proprietors of the City Flouring Mills suspended business yesterday. Liabilities about $30 000. Assets said to be nearly sufficient to cover but not at present available.

Transactions at the Stock Board this morning comprise a variety of descriptions, though the volume of business was light and prices irregular. Evening sales: Ophir, 18½, Savage 41½, Chollar 15, Crown Point 14, Kentuck, 126 Lady Bryan, 6, Yellow Jacket 35, Amador 280.

Owing to the storm interrupting the working of the telegraph, no Eastern quotations have been received to day.

SAN FRANCISCO Oct 20 —The trotting match at Golden Gate Park yesterday, between Westfield and Hiram Woodruff, for $1 000 mile heats best three in five to wagon was won by Woodruff. Time, 2 31 2 27¼ 2 35½.

The Coroner's jury in the case of Mark Altan the boy who was shot on Kearney street, September 27th returned a verdict last night of death by a pistol shot, fired by some person unknown.

John Quinn was arrested last night for burglary.

Adam Welth was arrested last evening on a charge of carrying a concealed weapon.

A Chinaman was run over by one of the cars of the Central Railroad Co on Davis street last night, badly breaking and crushing his right leg.

Rear Admiral Craven is to be relieved of his command of Mare Island Navy Yard on January 1st, and will be assigned to duty as Port Admiral of this city. Commodore John B Goldsborough will succeed Admiral Craven at Mare Island.

The *America* arrived from Hong Kong to day, bringing 750 Chinamen and 45 white passengers. She was not expected until Saturday but proves to be one of the fastest steamers afloat. Among the passengers were the Consul General of China Seward of Shanghai Consul Allen of Hong Kong and Consul King of Foo Chow. The two latter have been relieved, and the former comes home on leave of absence.

Rumors of heavy failures to-day are circulating around town. One of the leading members of the money ring is said to have failed for three millions another for one million two hundred thousand others for similar sums.

Two pugilists are said to be training in this city for a fight to take place on Monday next.

The steamer *John L Stephens*, seized some time ago for alleged infraction of the revenue laws, was released.

Loss of the Steamship Sierra Nevada

The steamship *Sierra Nevada* left here on the 17th for southern ports. Enveloped in a fog when off Pedro Blanco, she ran on a reef and became a total wreck. Every particle of her cargo is a total loss. Hughes, the second officer, swam ashore with a line, by means of which all on board were saved.

Judicial Election.

The election to day passed off quietly with a very light vote. The city will probably go Democratic. Wallace is badly scratched, Morrison running ahead. McKinstry's prospects for success very fair. The courts have adjourned. Business houses all open as usual.

NAPA Oct 20 —Napa precinct, Sawyer 201 Pratt, 183 Crockett, 191, Wallace, 172. For District Judge, Southard, 183, Wallace, 184.

Monetary.

New York—Quotations of 19th. Gold opened at 130⅛ and closed at 130. To day gold opened and closed at 130.

Five twenties of 1862, 120, five-twenties of 1867, 11[illegible].

New York and Liverpool Markets

New York—Wheat and flour unchanged.
Liverpool—Wheat 10s 6d.

San Francisco Markets

Flour—200 bbls Commercial Oregon extra balance on hands of importers, and 1,000 qr sks superfine outside brands, private.

Wheat—Fair demand. Sales of 400 sks inferior Santa Clara, $1 25; 550 medium milling, $1 35, 1,400 sks good milling, $1 50, 700 sks common and 1,000 sks good coast, $1 20, extremes of market, $1@1 55.

Barley—724 sks brewing at 90c 750 sks do 90c, 825 sks do 90c 275 sks coast, 80c, 2,700 sks coast feed, 80c. Prices range from 77½ to 97½. At the close, 1,200 sks feed, 85c, 1,000 sks brewing 90c.

Oats—150 sks light $1 325 sks choice heavy, $1 30, 800 sks inferior coast private 800 sks choice coast, $1 30.

Shipping.

Arrived—Oct 18th, ship *Bridgewater*, 165 days from New York. Oct 19th, *Ericsson*, 136 days from New York. Oct 19th, bark *Almatia*, from Portland.

Sailed—Oct 18th, steamer *Constantine*, for Port Townsend schooner *Petaluma* for Kodiac.

Arrived—Ship *Enoch*, 48 days from New York, British ship *Gilroy*, 188 days from Liverpool, British ship *Ravenath* 158 days from New Castle, British ship *Sword Fish* 190 days from Liverpool, England.

Napa City Dispatch

NAPA CITY Cal Oct 19 —A Spaniard named Sacramento Flores was found about four miles from here to day with his throat cut from ear to ear. From the appearance of the body it is supposed that he was killed Sunday evening. There is no clue as to who committed the murder.

NEVADA

VIRGINIA Oct 18 —The meeting of the dissatisfied stockholders of the Hale and Norcross mine called for Oct 20th has been postponed until further notice.

There are now thirty six confined in the Nevada State Prison at Carson two of whom are Federal prisoners.

The two engines for the Virginia and Truckee Railroad which are being hauled from Reno to this place reached the top of the Geiger grade this evening, about six miles from here and will probably arrive here to morrow some time. Twenty one yoke of oxen are used to haul each engine.

VIRGINIA Oct 19 —A party of gentlemen from this city and Gold Hill left this morning for Dayton to attend the opening of the Sutro tunnel and barbecue. They were accompanied by the Gold Hill Brass Band.

After reaching Dayton they drove through the principal streets accompanied by a large number of citizens. The procession then proceeded to the mouth of the tunnel where the American flag was raised a salute fired and the first pick was struck by Mr Sutro. The procession then repaired to the town hall where speeches were made by Judge Hayden Mr Sutro and others. Notwithstanding the state of the weather everything passed off in a most satisfactory manner to those present.

It continued to rain and snow here during last night and up to three P M to day.

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MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father October 20 1869, by Rev N Rounds Mr J O Rounds and Mary E daughter of James R Robb all of this city. Compliments received.

At Beth Israel Synagogue by Rev Dr Schwab Moses Hextor of Lewiston and Lilly May of Portland. Compliments of the parties received.

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CITY.

Money Market

Portland Legal Tender Rates	76@77
San Francisco Legal Tender rates	
New York Gold Quotations	130@131

COMMON COUNCIL.—Wednesday evening October 20, 1869 The Common Council of the city of Portland met at 7½ o'clock his Honor Mayor [illegible] presiding

Present—Councilmen Besser Bills Cree Lewis and Moffett.

Journal of last meeting read and approved

PETITIONS MEMORIALS ETC

Petition of J W Cook and others for a change of the grade of Washington street between Ninth and Tenth streets, read and referred to the Committee on Streets and Public Property

Petition of Smith & Davis for permission to leave a certain fence to remain on Seventh street read and referred to the same committee

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

The Committee on Accounts and Current Expenses to whom was referred the quarterly report of the Treasurer, reported the same correct. Report placed on file

The same committee, to whom was referred sundry bills incurred in the Seward reception, reported in favor of paying the same except the bill of F. O. Paine, which the committee thought should be reduced from $88 to $60 The report was placed on file

CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY

Warrants were ordered drawn for the following claims: C. H. Myers two bills $47 59 Rhodes & Bancroft $20; P G Baker two bills, $342 [illegible]; E. Goodman $367 85

ORDINANCE

Ordinance making an appropriation out of the fund to be collected for the improvement of Jefferson street, read a first and second time, rule suspended, ordinance read a third time and passed

An ordinance declaring the cost of improving [illegible] street from Third to Twelfth read a first and second time, rule suspended, ordinance read a third time and passed

An ordinance making an appropriation of $300 out of the general fund to defray the expense of the Seward reception, was read a first and second time, rule suspended, ordinance read a third time and passed

An ordinance declaring a surplus in the fund for the improvement of Madison street was read a first and second time rule suspended [illegible] a third time and passed

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled an ordinance to establish a day and night police [illegible], amended and laid over under the rules [The ordinance provides for the increase of the number of Deputy Marshals to four or more.]

MISCELLANEOUS.

A resolution was adopted authorizing Committee on Streets and Public Property to contract for the [illegible] of wooden gutters on Salmon street [illegible] the Plaza.

The City Surveyor was instructed, by resolution, to survey Lincoln, Grant, Sherman and Caruthers streets, with a view to extend South Front street

The Auditor was authorised to issue warrants for the collection of delinquent assessments on [illegible]

On motion, Council adjourned

[illegible] OF THE WILLAMETTE.—At low water the [illegible] at Oregon City, has always been too shallow to allow the [illegible] to go into and out of it of the boats running on the upper river. At such times the company [illegible] all freight by land from the warehouse [illegible] and passengers have to walk from one boat to the other. The company sometime ago rebuilt [illegible] railway track and thus avoided the rougher and [illegible] way of moving freight by wagons. But even this did not well answer the purposes of either the company or the shippers, because of the expense and delay [illegible] in the way of speedy transportation [illegible] the canal at the upper end [illegible] and have since been engaged with a [illegible] in blasting out the rocks and [illegible] about two feet from one end of the [illegible] Having completed this work, the [illegible] day and the boats were extended into the basin yesterday

[illegible] at the head of Rock Island chute [illegible] is to be blasted out this week [illegible] at low water, as it lies [illegible] thought to be.

[illegible] river bars less troublesome, the [illegible] wing dams, so as to force the [illegible] very "thin" over wide bars, [illegible] For this purpose they have [illegible] temporary dams of logs [illegible] a pile driver and will [illegible] Should the water continue [illegible] this work will be [illegible] with this fall, [illegible] low water next summer.

[illegible]—Marshal Saunders and two or three [illegible] were on the qui vive Tuesday [illegible] to detect the rogues who have [illegible] the burglaries and robberies in that [illegible] for a few nights past. Late in the night [illegible] apparition moving down Fourth street [illegible] as a mass of canvass moving [illegible] as if floating along, just skim[illegible] Saunders ran quite rapidly [illegible] and met the apparition and [illegible] that the canvass was a tent or part [illegible] the propelling agent was Indian Joe, [illegible] and completely enveloped by it. [illegible] it from the Circus Pavilion and [illegible] was dragging it off to the Indi[illegible] Upon being arrested he af[illegible] drunk—hardly able to stand up, much [illegible] Deputy Blake took him in [illegible] to jail while the others remain[illegible] trouble in getting Joe [illegible] but when they got pretty [illegible] from his intoxica[illegible] running like a "scared wolf" [illegible] and after running nearly two blocks [illegible] him down. Joe tried the dodge [illegible] down by way of dis[illegible] finally secured in the city jail [illegible] the Recorder yesterday morning and [illegible] thirty days in the county jail for petit [illegible] being valued at only thirty dollars.

[illegible]—Yesterday morning Marshal Saun[illegible] 1 of the depredations committed [illegible] in the northern part of the city and [illegible] that their headquarters were at some [illegible] ordered his two deputies, Blake and [illegible] Hudson and O'Hara, to scour [illegible] the city and country in that direction [illegible] this search surrounded the house [illegible] and dispatched one of their number [illegible] search warrant. Marshal Saunders ar[illegible] to search the premises, went down [illegible] quite an amount of property [illegible] had been stolen, though none of [illegible] except a pair of boots belonging [illegible] The property recovered consists of [illegible] dried tongues, chicken heads, etc. [illegible] and wife, Jake Ripley and a [illegible] supposed to be concerned in the [illegible] this city, were arrested and confined in the [illegible] strong suspicion of two or three other [illegible] and the officers are on the look

[illegible] due to the Marshal and his assistants [illegible] in their endeavors to bring to [illegible] have been guilty of these repeated [illegible] Policeman Hudson received a [illegible] making the arrest of Mrs Blackstone, [illegible] and threatened to 'put a head' on [illegible]

[illegible]—The bark Adeline Elwood has re[illegible] about 14,000 bushels of wheat. Her en[illegible] 22,000—for Liverpool

[illegible] Maxwell, the man who was burned by the late [illegible] is convalescing

[illegible] from Polk county the mother of five [illegible] was placed in the Insane Asylum the other day [illegible] of female disorder

[illegible] who fled from justice in this city is in [illegible] W. T.

[illegible] new wooden buildings are being erected [illegible] and the village presents a general air [illegible] and growth.

[illegible] are the steamer Gussie Telfair, barks [illegible] and schooner Walter Raleigh [illegible] expected to sail from San Fran[illegible] for this port.

[illegible] the deputation of "aborigines, from one [illegible] probably arrived at this city [illegible] are too many of that sort here now [illegible] from all the interior towns are of [illegible] even for the fall months Money is a [illegible] where, but his goes on

[illegible].—The Walla Walla Union of the 16th [illegible]

[illegible] is quite lively and there is a great number of [illegible] in town.

[illegible] favored with delightful weather—days bright [illegible] and nights just cool enough for comfort. The [illegible] however, is getting a little smoky

[illegible] Northrup, Assessor of Umatilla county Ore[illegible] us with the number of head of the [illegible] stock in his county which is as follows [illegible] mules, 350, cattle 16,656 sheep 15 709

We are informed that the steamer 49 was sunk on [illegible] river, some two hundred miles above Col[illegible] She was running down stream when she struck a [illegible] and after running some four miles was discovered [illegible] sinking condition, when she was beached in [illegible] water. Would not learn what was the extent of [illegible] She now lies with her machinery submerged [illegible]

[illegible] INSANE.—Tuesday evening a man named [illegible] ball attempted to commit suicide by jumping [illegible] from the ferry boat He was rescued [illegible] and Marshal Saunders had him placed in the city [illegible] keeping. Upon going in yesterday morning [illegible] found him lying in his bed and in a profuse [illegible] He refused to answer a word when spoken [illegible] somewhat doubtful whether he had [illegible] of utterance His eyes betray evident insan[illegible] The Marshal, as we left the premises gave an order [illegible] physician summoned

[illegible]'s COURT.—Wednesday October 20th State [illegible] Indian Joe; larceny sent up for thirty days [illegible] assault and battery, fined five dol[illegible] failed to pay, and sent up for two days. [illegible] Michael Fury; assault and battery, fined [illegible] costs; paid and discharged [illegible] Henry Ralston; assault and battery, fined [illegible] dollars and costs; paid and discharged

THE OCCIDENTAL HOTEL.—We took a look yesterday through the Occidental Hotel formerly the Western. The proprietors S D Smith and Geo B Cook have recently expended about $[illegible] in thoroughly refitting and refurnishing the house. The general sitting room and the dining room have been enlarged new floors laid, new ceilings and finish put on the walls and everything made neat and comfortable. All the family suites and single rooms in the second and third stories have been freshly painted and plastered or papered and furnished with new carpets and furniture. We looked into nearly every room in the house and found not one but was a model of cleanliness and neatness both as to room and furnishings. It would be difficult to find now on the Pacific coast a hotel better fixed or better kept.

LATE INVENTIONS.—A Mr P Davis of this city exhibits the model of a spading machine invented some time since by a young man named H[illegible] who has since died. It consists of a revolving drum whose circumference are set a number of blades which cut and lift the earth as it rolls along in the manner of a farmers rolling machine. Mr Davis also has the model of a new style of paddle wheel—invented by himself—the paddles of which are so set as to avoid lifting the water. Both inventions if they prove to be what is claimed for them will be valuable

INSURANCE.—We acknowledge a call from Mr Underman the general agent of the Washington Life Insurance Company. He informs us that he has appointed Mr W Whitwell agent for the above company for Oregon and the Territories. This company is not a new one but is now in its tenth year of successful business. A feature peculiar to the Washington and deserving of the attention of all we contemplating insurance is all policies kept in force by dividends. An advertisement for the company appears in this issue of the OREGONIAN.

INFANT ABANDONED.—Yesterday morning a female infant apparently not more than a day old was found by the Sisters within the gate of their convent opening on Fifth street. Its mother had evidently abandoned it here with the expectation that the Sisters would take it in and care for it. It was wrapped in an old red shirt, a piece of an old white flannel petticoat and a piece of blue blanket—the only covering the poor thing had. The Sisters took it up and will provide a home for it.

LOSS OF THE SHIP SIERRA NEVADA.—Mr H Hladay yesterday received the following dispatch announcing the loss of one of the N P T Co's steamships:

SAN FRANCISCO Oct 20 1869

T. BEN HOLLADAY.—On the 17th at twenty minutes past [illegible] P M in a dense fog the ship Sierra Nevada struck on a reef three miles north of Pedro Blanco, and in twenty minutes keeled over and filled. All hands saved. Ship a total loss

WM NORRIS

CLARKE COUNTY FAIR.—Following is text of a note received last evening from Lewis Van Vleet President of Clarke County Agricultural and Mechanical Society

Will the OREGONIAN say for the fair that everything looks at present as if it was going to be a success. The board of managers have determined to hold over Saturday one more day than was originally intended. All who feel interested are invited to be present. Everybody come and see us

ORO FINO THEATER.—The popular comedy of the "Lady of Lyons" and the dashing farce of "The Jealous Wife," were performed last evening to a fair house

To-night the great play of Ingomar and the very laughable farce of Our Gal will be presented. The character of Parthenia is one in which Mrs. Carter appears to great advantage, while as Our Gal she is inimitable. The entertainment will be a good one, and should draw a full house

A CARD.—Mr. Weed having been announced as a candidate for Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, declines the honor in the subjoined card:

PORTLAND, Oct. 20, 1869

To those friends who put my name in nomination for Chief Engineer of the Portland Fire Department, I am thankful and respectfully decline. W. H. WEED, Chief Engineer P F D

LIVELY.—Our streets were unusually full, yesterday of teams from the country, making them wear a particularly lively appearance. Not much grain however was brought in, most of the wagons being loaded with fruit and vegetables for barter. Many people from the country are availing themselves of the present spell of fine weather to lay in supplies for the winter

VIOLATION OF THE REVENUE LAWS.—Mr J A Fisher, confectioner and oyster-saloon keeper, of this city, was arrested upon a charge of selling cigars without the proper stamps, and was taken before U S Commissioner E Wilcox. Waiving an examination he was held to answer in the sum of $500 for his appearance before the next United States Grand Jury

WASHINGTON COUNTY COURT.—Elsewhere we publish the report of Wm E. Smith, Railroad Trustee, to the County Court of Washington county. By the letter in which it was forwarded we learn that the Court will have business to detain it in session all the week. The land case of Allen vs. Richard White was on trial yesterday

DEAD.—We learn that Noble Johnson of Oregon City who accidentally shot himself in the leg a few days since while out hunting died from the effects of the wound. The nervous shock received by the wound produced a sinking from which he could never rally

THE CIRCUS.—The Great World Circus gave a performance at Vancouver last night. It will go to the Dalles before performing again at this city. Mr. Wilson informs us that he will open here early next week.

ANOTHER FOUNDRY.—A San Francisco firm is said to have leased the Dielschneider foundry buildings on Oak street. Preparations for commencing work, are in progress

AT VICTORIA.—A telegram from Victoria, Oct. 18th, announces the arrival at that city of the steamer Geo. S. Wright

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Mark Twain on Mr Beecher

The Rev Henry Ward Beecher's private habits are the subject of Mark Twain's latest contribution to the Buffalo *Express*. The whole article is extremely funny but that portion which relates to Mr. Beecher's farming experiences is in the humorist's most extravagant vein and quite equal to his best efforts. It is as follows:

Mr Beecher's farm consists of thirty six acres and is carried on on strictly scientific principles He never puts in any part of a crop without consulting his book. He plows and reaps, and digs and sows, according to the best authorities and the authorities cost more than the other farming implements do. As soon as the library is complete, the farm will begin to be a profitable investment. But book farming has its drawbacks. Upon one occasion when it seemed morally certain that the hay ought to be cut, the hay book could not be found—and before it was found it was too late, and the hay was all spoiled.

Mr. Beecher raises some of the finest crops of wheat in the country, but the unfavorable difference between the cost of producing it and its market value after it is produced has interfered considerably with its success as a commercial enterprise. His special weakness is hogs, however. He considers hogs the best game that a farm produces. He buys the original pig for a dollar and a half, and feeds him forty dollars' worth of corn, and then sells him for about nine dollars. This is the only crop he ever makes any money on. He loses on the corn, but he makes seven dollars and a half on the hog. He does not mind this, because he never expects to make anything on corn, anyway. And any way it turns out, he has the excitement of raising the hog anyhow, whether he gets the worth of him or not. His strawberries would be a comfortable success if the robins would eat turnips, but they won't and hence the difficulty.

One of Mr Beecher's most harrassing difficulties in his farming operations comes of the close resemblance of different sorts of seeds and plants to each other. Two years ago, his far-sightedness warned him that there was going to be a scarcity of water melons, and therefore he put in a crop of twenty-seven acres of that fruit. But when they came up they turned out to be pumpkins, and a dead loss was the consequence. Sometimes a portion of his crop goes into the ground the most promising sweet potatoes, and comes up the infernalest carrots—though I never have heard him express it just in that way. When he bought his farm, he found one egg in every hen's nest on the place. He said that here was just the reason why so many farmers failed—they scattered their forces too much—concentration was the idea. So he gathered those eggs together and put them all under one experienced old hen. The hen roosted over that contract night and day for eleven weeks, under the anxious personal supervision of Mr. Beecher himself, but she could not 'phase' those eggs. Why? Because they were those infamous porcelain things which are used by ingenious and fraudulent farmers as 'nest eggs.' But perhaps Mr. Beecher's most disastrous experience was the time he tried to raise an immense crop of dried apples. He planted fifteen hundred dollars worth but never one of them sprouted. He has never been able to understand to this day, what was the matter with those apples.

Eternal Dish-Washing

The quiet fidelity with which "she" will dishwater her life away for "him" is a marvel of endurance and grace. Just here is the servitude of woman heaviest—no sooner is her work done than it is required to be done over again. Man works up jobs, ends them and takes his pay. This pay can be translated into something else desirable. A man works all day, and draws pay for his day's work. This pay allures him, as oats a horse homeward bound. Thus men work by terms and jobs, and although work is endless as to quantity, yet when cut up thus into terms and jobs, we men go heartily on our journey and count our mile-stones.

Not so with our mates. "She" mends our socks and we put our irrepressible toe upon the darned spot, and she darns it again. "She" washes for the family which makes haste to send back the same garments to be washed again. "She" puts the room in order, and we get it ready to be "rid" up again. The same socks, the same washing, the same room every time. She has no successive jobs, no terms, no pay-day, no tally stick of life. She washes the same dish three hundred and sixty-five—yes, three times three hundred and sixty-five times every year. No wonder she breaks it and is glad of it! What a relief to say, "I've done that dish!"

Not only have we washed dishes, but also we cooked and served and helped eat a meal, (with abated appetite because of the cooking) and now we are astonished at the number of thoughts, and steps, and acts, and processes involved in a very plain supper. And we had it, and with it came wisdom.

Gentlemen all! We go into a room and see a table set. It seems to us one thing—a supper. It is, in fact from fifty to two hundred separate things, taken down one by one for us to use, and for "her" to wash and put back whence they came. There is a plate of biscuit. To that plate of simplicity we with our own hands and feet brought together a new quick fire for baking, viz: kindling wood, raking out stove, and hod of coal. Flour from the bin, shortening from the gravy drip down stairs, salt from one box, sugar from another, soda from the jar, acid from a bottle, a spoon, a pitcher of water, a dripping-pan and a tin pan for mixing up these ingredients—and, after all, happening to forget the thing for ten minutes, we burned the biscuit half through in a way which we men reckon quite uncomfortable in a cook. Meanwhile that one plate of biscuit added to the eternal dish-wash, two spoons, two pans, one plate and a little cup. Just a little piece of steak contributed eight pieces to the dish wash. A few strawberries sent in six pieces to be got ready to soil again. Four eggs impressed themselves upon six separate articles.

Gentlemen, we began at ten minutes of six, and a quarter to eight we found ourselves triumphant; everything cleared away except the dishcloth. You see we washed up the dish pan, the bread pan and the sink, scalded them all, (and our fingers too,) and dried them off with the dishcloth. Now, where on earth can we go to wash that dish rag? Not in the clean pan? Not over the clean dry sink? We stood aghast for about five minutes, and then wadded up the rag, round like a ball, and tucked it into the far corner of the sink, and shut down the cover. Our sink has a cover. But that rag though hidden, was heavy on our conscience. "She" never would have done so. We have seen clean dish cloths, but how they washed them passes our skill.

Another Eccentric Englishman on his Travels

Some time ago, says the London *Daily News*, we heard of an Englishman who made a bet that he could walk all the way to India, and who asked some Consul on the shores of the Black Sea for instructions as to the best road to take. A few days afterward the Consul was beset by another Englishman bent on the same errand, and eager for similar information. This was the man who took the first traveler's wager, and who was now in the track of his adversary to see that he strictly fulfilled the terms of his engagement. Now we have the story of an "original English man," who has just traversed the Grand Duchy of Hesse-Darmstadt, on his road to Egypt to witness the inauguration of the Suez Canal. He had made a bet that he would go from England to Egypt in his yacht without touching earth. He accordingly sailed across the Channel and up the Rhine to Mayence. Here he meant to turn up the Main till he reached the Main and Danube Canal but the water of the river was not deep enough for his adventurous craft. Nothing daunted, however, our compatriot is said to have caused three wagons to be lashed together and his yacht to be placed on top of them, taking care the while never to leave the deck, so as to avoid touching land.

In this manner the Main and Rhine Railway transported yacht and traveler to the town of Bamberg, much to the stupefaction of the peasants. At Bamberg the yacht was launched into the canal, which will bear it to the Danube, thence it will proceed to Black Sea, to the Sea of Marmora, to the Archipelago, to the Mediterranean, to Suez, and, let us hope, through the canal to the Red Sea. The story is more likely to be true than that of the two Englishmen walking one in the foot steps of the other all the way to India, but true or not our continental friends think it ought to be true. The whim and the wager are supposed to be very characteristic of Englishmen. As Frenchmen bring all disputes to the test of a duel, Englishmen, it is perfectly well known, reduce all disputes to the test of a wager. Every foreigner is certain that every Englishman is ready for a bet. There is nothing he will not bet about. The poet speaks of a wretch who would botanize upon his mother's grave. Foreigners have an idea that every Englishman would bet upon the number of nails in his mother's coffin.

The Chinese Wall

Since writing my last letter from the tower of Piangtu I have traversed the side and ruins of the ancient outworks of the Chinese Wall proper as far as Suetchou, on the border of the desert of Kobi or Schamo, and through the aid of my kind friend and interpreter, Chung Wo, have collected much valuable information with regard to the object which led to the construction of these gigantic barriers, which, in defiance of modern engineering, still remain the great architectural wonder of the world in comparison with which the pyramids of Egypt are mere specks. This curtain wall varies in distance from the true wall from one mile to ten, and for engineering skill in the selection of defensible points, when we consider that escalade was the only means by which the Northern hordes of Mantchuria and Ismiggians attempted its passage it would have tasked the judgment of a Todleben to have found a better line of defense.

The material used for building the first or outer wall was kiln-burnt brick, and its construction was evidently intended to cover the progress of the more substantial inner fortification of stone. According to the information derived from Father Ing Oo, a learned Bonse of the Buddhist seminary of Jeatog Pao, the construction of the first wall of brick occupied a period of eight hundred years, during which three million of workmen were constantly employed. Like the frontiersmen of America, they were obliged to combine the occupations of warrior, artisan, and, possibly, agriculturist.

During its progress there were upward of two thousand forays, and diversions, which must have greatly retarded the work. The inner or stone fortification was commenced, according to the best authenticated accounts, about eight hundred years before the advent of our era, and, with its completion, the temporary outworks of brick were probably abandoned, and its line is through a country incapable of producing enough to supply the wants of a garrison such as would be required for its defense. And the economy of the ancient Chinese Government required that its military organization should be self supporting—the soldiers off duty engaged in the cultivation of the soil or such mechanical employments as were adapted to the wants of the army.

The existence of these two walls has led to the discrepancy in the relation of travelers. Those who have visited it from the north and west contending that it is a structure of brick, in a ruinous condition, and those through the empire, from the south, that it is built of stone, supremely grand in its architectural design, and in a wonderful state of preservation, considering that it has withstood the assaults of man and the machinations of time to accomplish its destruction for at least two thousand and five hundred years since the last stone was laid.—*Correspondent Eastern Paper.*

A SENSIBLE BEQUEST.—Henry R. Rouse, of South West, Pa., came to his death by the burning of his oil well in April, 1861, near the place at the mouth of Cherry Run which bears his name. Having no family he devised most of his estate to Commissioners of Warren county, the interest thereof to be expended, one-half on the roads and one half for the benefit of the poor of said county. The amount realized after the requisite legislation and arrangements to make the bequest available was $150,000. The fund is now invested mainly in Government securities. It yields some $11,000 per annum. The half of it thus far keeps up the expenses of maintaining the poor of said county. The road money is applied in different sections of the county toward building bridges and repairing roads, as the Commissioners may deem best.

A promising young shaver of five or six years was reading his lesson at school one day, in that deliberate manner for which urchins of that age are somewhat remarkable. As he proceeded with the task he came upon the passage, "Keep thy tongue from evil and thy lips from guile." Master Hopeful drawled out, "Keep—thy—tongue—from evil and—thy—lips—from—*girls*."

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PUBLIC NOTICE.
SALE BY AUCTION BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA OF THE
STEAM YACHT LEVIATHAN,
Dredger and Punts,
AND THE
YACHT ATALANTA.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLlowing Property belonging to the Government of British Columbia will be offered at Public Auction by
LUMLEY FRANKLIN, Auctioneer,
At his Salesroom Yates street, Victoria, Vancouver Island, on
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH, 1869,
At 12 o'clock Noon, viz
The Steam Yacht "LEVIATHAN," with Engines, Boilers &c., complete. Her cabins are well fitted, and she is in every respect in thorough seagoing order.
ALSO,
The Steam DREDGER, which is in excellent condition, 118 feet in length, 22 feet 10 inches in breadth, and 8 feet 6 inches in depth, and well built of suitable and sound materials, coppered and copper fastened; can dredge from fourteen to sixteen feet in depth with a lifting power of two hundred tons per hour, and consumes two tons of coal per ten hour's work, well supplied with steel pointed Buckets and other appliances complete. The Machinery manufactured by J & A Blythe, London, is in perfect order, and consists of a Condensing Marine Steam Engine of 25 nominal Horse Power with two flued Boilers and all the necessary fittings.
ALSO,
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ALSO,
The Yacht "ATALANTA" 31 feet over all, 26 feet keel and about 8 tons measurement. Coppered and copper fastened.
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Sale of Government Buildings.

OFFICE CHIEF QUARTERMASTER DEPT COLUMBIA, PORTLAND, Oregon, October 1 1869.

BY AUTHORITY FROM THE WAR DEPARTMENT there will be sold at Auction to the highest bidder for cash (currency) at noon on Tuesday the [illegible] day of November next, at Fort Steilacoom, Pierce county, W T, all the Buildings belonging to the United States and pertaining to that Post, consisting of

No			
1	One Building	Barracks—[illegible]	[illegible]
2,	"	Q M Store House	[illegible]
3	"	[illegible]	[illegible]
4	"	Guard House	[illegible]
5	"	Commy Store-House	[illegible]
6	"	Barracks	[illegible]
7	"	Q M Office	[illegible]
8	"	Water Works	[illegible]
9	"	Officers' Q'rs, Double	20x36
10	"	[illegible]	[illegible]
11	"	[illegible]	[illegible]
12	"	[illegible]	[illegible]
13	"	[illegible]	[illegible]
14	"	Magazine	[illegible]
15	"	Barracks	[illegible]
16	"	Bakehouse	[illegible]
17	"	Lime House	[illegible]
18	"	Granary	[illegible]
19	"	Carpenter & Blacksmith Shop	[illegible]
20	"	Surgeon's Quarters	[illegible]
21	"	Hospital	[illegible]
22,	"	Stables	[illegible]
23	"	Barracks	[illegible]
24	"	Officers' Quarters	[illegible]
25	"	[illegible]	[illegible]

All the fencing and any other property belonging to the United States that may be at that Post.
R SAXTON, Lt Col, Dep. Qm.
o6 16t Chief Quartermaster Dept Columbia

Sale of Smuggled Merchandise

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FOLLOWING described merchandise will be sold at Public Auction by A. B. Richardson, Auctioneer, at [illegible] Front street, Portland, on

Saturday, October 23, 1869,

The same having been seized for violation of the Revenue Laws and declared forfeited.

Seized from passengers on board the ship [illegible] from Hong Kong at the port of Portland on the 4th day of July 1869, to-wit:

One hundred and two [illegible] Opium
One hundred and sixty [illegible]
Fifty [illegible]
Two hundred and three pack [illegible]
Also Five [illegible]
Also [illegible] from the bark Andrew [illegible] at Portland [illegible] August 1869 to-wit
Eighteen [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
Four Skin Sacks [illegible]
Two Bundles [illegible]
Three [illegible]

[illegible]
[illegible] A. [illegible]

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[illegible] MOST WONDERFUL [illegible] discovered [illegible] and hopeless [illegible] GRANULATED [illegible] demonstrated [illegible] has been brought [illegible] fully convinced [illegible] EFFECT A CURE OR [illegible] REFUND THE MONEY [illegible]
[illegible]
NATHANIEL [illegible]
S. E. WARD
JOHN M [illegible]
ROBT H [illegible]
[illegible] SMITH & [illegible]
Harrisburg, [illegible]
SMITH & DAVIS Portland, [illegible]
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TO THE UNFORTUNATE
NEW REMEDIES, NEW [illegible]
Dr Gibbon's Dispensary
623 KEARNEY STREET, NEAR COMMERCIAL,
San Francisco. Established in 1854, for the treatment of Sexual and Seminal Diseases [illegible] Syphilis in all its forms, Seminal Weakness, Impotency and Private Diseases of long standing and Ulcerated Legs successfully treated.

Horrible Dis[illegible]
How many thousands of persons, both male and female [illegible] suffering [illegible] [illegible] thus disqualifying them for the happiness [illegible] guardians [illegible] Doctor Gibbon [illegible] Europe and [illegible]

Seminal Weakness.
Seminal Emissions the consequence of solitary vice or depraved sexual indulgence by the youth [illegible] producing with unerring certainty, [illegible] the eyes, pain in the head, ringing in the ears [illegible] blunted intellect, loss of confidence, [illegible] a disposition to shun Society, loss of [illegible] flushes, pimples and various eruptions [illegible] furred tongue, fetid breath, coughs, [illegible] not obtained should apply immediately [illegible] or by letter, and have a cure effected [illegible] effecting a quick and radical cure. Dr. Gibbon [illegible] Hundred Dollars to any person who will [illegible] of the San Francisco quacks.

MARRIED MEN
Or those who contemplate marriage, [illegible] under any of these fearful maladies [illegible] sacred responsibility resting upon [illegible] obtain immediate relief.
DOCTOR GIBBON is responsible, and [illegible] patient a written instrument, binding [illegible] radical and permanent cure or make [illegible]

CURED AT HOME
Persons at a distance may be CURED by addressing a letter to Dr Gibbon, [illegible] medicines promptly forwarded, free [illegible] curiosity to any part of the country, with directions for use. Fee Ten Dollars [illegible] or through Wells Fargo & Co

Caution to the Unfortunate
Beware of the San Francisco quacks who will [illegible] Some of the self-styled doctors, whose [illegible] found in the daily and weekly [illegible] makers, newspaper carriers, [illegible] etc. Look over the San Francisco [illegible] will not find their Medical Institutes [illegible] find their former occupations in it. [illegible] tory for 1867 and 1868. The only way [illegible] tion is to make enquiry—it will cost you [illegible] may save you many regrets; for, as [illegible] cians in eight cases out of ten, are [illegible] safety in trusting any of them until [illegible] what they are. Dr. Gibbon does not [illegible] exhibiting bogus titles, certificates, [illegible] letters etc. Dr Gibbon will satisfy [illegible] call at his office of his ability to treat [illegible] proposes to cure.
Address DR J F GIBBON, 623 K[illegible] near Commercial, (Private Entrance on [illegible] Francisco. Post Office Box 781.
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Correspondents will please [illegible] that they read his advertisement in the [illegible]
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LEAVE OFF SMOKING AND CHEWING [illegible]
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ORTON'S PREPARATION
ESTABLISHED [illegible]
One box of Orton's Preparation [illegible] destroy the appetite for Tobacco [illegible] matter how strong the habit [illegible] may be [illegible] safe and harmless to all [illegible] of Tobacco [illegible] exercise of the will. Something [illegible] nature in overcoming a habit [illegible] the help of the Preparation [illegible]
[illegible] trouble. *Hundreds* have used it [illegible] completely destroys the appetite [illegible] leaves the person as free from [illegible] before he commenced its use [illegible] system and thus allaying the [illegible] Tobacco. *No more hankering for* [illegible] Orton's Preparation [illegible]
The time taken to allay all desire for [illegible] use of the Preparation varies slightly [illegible] the average time being about *Five days* [illegible] Two days.
The *Health and Purse* of every [illegible] country calls loudly against [illegible]
RECOMMENDATIONS.
The following are a few selected from the [illegible]
We the undersigned hereby certify that we [illegible] for the purpose of destroying [illegible] that Orton's Pr[illegible] appetite for Tobacco [illegible] bad effect upon the [illegible] appetite either for the [illegible]
P. J. Heard, Bangor, Maine; J. [illegible] Knoxville, Tenn [illegible] Bangor, Maine; J. Bunch, Spring [illegible] Harrington, West Pt., Georgia.
From Samuel Cassidy, Editor [illegible]
[illegible]
SAMUEL C[illegible]
[illegible] N. DUTTON, Dr[illegible] Portland, [illegible]

A [illegible] BEREBY [illegible]
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